

Exhibit A

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;   TITLE OF INVENTION:  Prosaposin and Cytokine-Derived Peptides
;   TITLE OF INVENTION:  as Therapeutic Agents
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;   COMPUTER READABLE FORM:
;     MEDIUM TYPE:  Floppy disk
;     COMPUTER:     IBM PC compatible
;     OPERATING SYSTEM:  PC-DOS/MS-DOS
;     SOFTWARE:     PatentIn Release #1.0, Version #1.25
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;   INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:  4:
;     SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
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;     MOLECULE TYPE:  peptide
;     FEATURE:
;       NAME/KEY:  Peptide
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